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## "AN ACT CONCERNING STATE EMPLOYEES SERVING IN OPERATION JUMP START OR CERTAIN OTHER OPERATIONS."

- 1 In line 61, after "vacation" insert "time, equivalent leave time"
- 2 In line 62, bracket "leave"
- In line 64, after "be" insert the following:
- 4 "credited with such accrued vacation time, equivalent leave time or
- 5 sick time, except that if the accrual of such vacation time, equivalent
- 6 leave time or sick time pursuant to this subsection while on active
- 7 service would cause the employee to exceed any limit on leave time
- 8 pursuant to any provision of the general statutes, the regulations of
- 9 Connecticut state agencies or a collective bargaining agreement, the
- 10 limit shall be temporarily waived to allow the employee to use the
- 11 excess leave time before the later of the following: (A) From the date of
- 12 the state employee's discharge from active service until the state
- employee returns to state employment, (B) not later than one hundred
- 14 twenty calendar days after the state employee returns to state

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15 employment, or (C) not later than one hundred twenty calendar days

- 16 after the state employee is credited with such excess leave time. The
- 17 <u>employee shall be</u>"
- In line 71, after "vacation" insert "time, equivalent leave time"
- 19 In line 73, insert the following after the period:
- 20 "As used in this section, "equivalent leave time" means leave time
- 21 classified as other than vacation time or sick time and includes, but is
- 22 not limited to, leave time classified as recess rather than vacation time."
- 23 Strike lines 74 to 77, inclusive, in their entirety and substitute the
- 24 following in lieu thereof:
- 25 "(d) No state employee shall be deemed ineligible for any benefit
- 26 <u>under this section or under any other provision of this chapter solely</u>
- 27 because such employee's leave time is classified as recess or other
- 28 equivalent leave time rather than vacation time pursuant to the
- 29 provisions of a collective bargaining agreement, including a collective
- 30 bargaining agreement covering a state employee in a teaching,
- 31 <u>instructional or professional position in the Unified School Districts 1,</u>
- 32 <u>2 or 3.</u>"